## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

## Please replace the paragraph on page 2, lines 13-25, with the following:

The present application is a continuation of co-pending U.S. Application Ser. No. 09/357,429, filed July 20, 1999, which is a continuation of U.S. Application 08/878,357 filed June 27, 1997, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Ser. No. 08/772,895 filed December 24, 1996, abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Ser. No. 08/696,086 filed August 13, 1996, abandoned, which is a continuation of U.S. Application Ser. No. 08/238,180 filed May 4, 1994, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,546,397, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Ser. No. 08/197,392 filed February 16, 1994, abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Ser. No. 08/170,121 filed December 20, 1993, abandoned.

The U.S. Application Ser. No. 08/772,895 filed December 24, 1996, also claims priority to PCT Application Ser. No. PCT/US96/09474 filed June 3, 1996.

The present application is related to U.S. Application Ser. No. \_/\_\_\_\_, titled "LOCAL AREA NETWORK HAVING MULTIPLE CHANNEL WIRELESS ACCESS" filed concurrently herewith.

All of the aforementioned applications are hereby incorporated herein by reference in their entirety. In addition, U.S. Patent No. 5,425,051 issued June 13, 1995 to Ronald L. Mahany is also hereby incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.